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SOURCE, ELECTRON SOURCE
AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS, AND MANUFACTURING

METHOD THEREOF ) March 23, 2004

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## **INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is

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directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

For the concise explanation of relevance for non-English document 2630988, the Examiner is respectfully referred to the English Abstract attached thereto and to U.S. Patent 4,954,744, and also to the English Abstract of JP1-298624..

For the concise explanation of relevance for non-English document 2630983, the Examiner is respectfully referred to the English Abstract (attached thereto) of Patent Abstract of Japan No. 01-279538..

For the concise explanation of relevance for non-English document 1-298624, the Examiner is respectfully referred to the English Abstract attached thereto and to U.S. Patent 4,954,744.

For the concise explanation of relevance for non-English document 9-293448, the Examiner is respectfully referred to the English Abstract attached thereto.

For the concise explanation of relevance for non-English document 8-329828, the Examiner is respectfully referred to the English Abstract attached thereto.

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For the concise explanation of relevance for non-English document 1-279538, the Examiner is respectfully referred to the English Abstract attached thereto.

## **CONCLUSION**

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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